

Davidson and Red Cross Party Go to Florence.
ROME, Tuesday, April 16.—H. P. Davidson, Chairman of the American Red Cross War Council, and his Red Cross party, which has been visiting important cities in Italy, left today for Florence. Ambassador Page and Count Somaglia, President of the Italian Red Cross, bade them farewell at the station.

SHE DARKENED HER GRAY HAIR

Well Known Lady Tells How She Darkened Her Gray Hair by a Simple Home-Made Remedy.

Mrs. E. H. Boots, a well known resident of Buchanan County, Ia., who darkened her gray hair by a simple home-made remedy, made the following statement:

"Any lady or gentleman can darken their gray or faded hair and make it soft and glossy with this simple recipe, which they can mix at home: To half a pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, one small box of Barbo Compound and 1/4 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair every other day until the gray hair is darkened sufficiently. It does not color the scalp; is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off. It will make a gray haired person look 10 to 20 years younger."

CUT IN CLOTHES PRICE IS AIM OF BERNARD BARUCH

War Industries Board to Limit Profits on Wool and Cotton Goods.

Coincident with the authoritative announcement that the government, through the War Industries Board, soon will fix the margin of profits on manufactured woolen and cotton goods, representatives of those industries are to meet here in the next few days. The object of the government is to lower the price of cotton and woolen goods to the public, it is announced. These prices now are the highest on record.

Bernard Baruch, chairman of the War Industries Board, has prepared a programme for the complete control of the cotton and woolen cloth production of the country, it was said. The plan provides for the elimination of abnormal profits through

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conversion from raw materials and the limiting of prices to purchasers. It will be the first step of the board in a general programme of regulation of this character.

DRAFT CALL FOR 5,610 MORE.

Men Summoned for Signal and Engineer Corps.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—A supplementary draft call for 5,610 men for the Signal and Engineer Corps, to report between May 1 and 5, was issued today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. The troops provide that 350 of the men shall report at Fort Wayne, Mich., 250 at Camp Devens, S. C., 1,384 at Fort Sheridan, Ill., 2,350 at Camp Meade, Tex., and 386 at Fort Benning, Ga. Those who will report at Fort Wayne are all negroes.

CHILEAN ENVOY STRICKEN

Ambassador Aldunate Near Death in Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Stricken suddenly with an attack of apoplexy while out walking today, the Chilean Ambassador, Don Santiago Aldunate, was unconscious and near death this afternoon.

HAVRE DE GRACE WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Selling, two-year-olds, four furlongs—Agnes Cook, 108 (Mergler), straight \$1.20, place \$0.70, show \$0.70, first: Cain Spring, 106 (McTaggart), place \$0.70, show \$0.70, second: Maudsley, 110 (Hill), show \$0.70, third: Time, 19 (John Powers, Green Mint, St. Quentin, Weston, Old Bill, Bender, May-Rustie and Veinman all ran.

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

Four memberships have been sold this month, one bringing \$12,250 and the other three \$12,600 each.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
May	28.90	29.10	28.70	29.00
July	28.50	28.65	28.40	28.55
August	28.35	28.50	28.20	28.40
October	27.65	27.80	27.50	27.70
December	27.40	27.55	27.30	27.45
January	27.10	27.25	27.00	27.15

Market closed strong; up 7 1/2 to 9 1/2 points.

Learned to Recieve Senator To-Morrow.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representative Irvine L. Lenroot of Wisconsin today announced his resignation from the House, effective at once. To-morrow he will be sworn in as a member of the Senate, having been elected to succeed the late Senator Hastings.

Peruvian Cabinet Resigns.

LIMA, Peru, April 17.—The Peruvian Cabinet has resigned.

The town is filled with Shoes at \$7.50 and more that can't hold a candle to these

Franklin Shoes for Men

at \$7.00

HIGH OR LOW



NEW YORK has no other such combination of leather and labor in a shoe at \$7.00. It is the only shoe of its kind. Beautifully modeled, splendidly made, and shown in 60 variations of our basic American, English and French lasts, the leathers including black, tan, mahogany, Ko-Ko Russia calf, cordovan and patent leather.

Also, combinations of black and deep mahogany Russia calf with taupe or mahogany buckskin uppers—\$8.00.

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Women's Tailored Street Suits 34.50 & 44.50

Formerly 39.50 to 55.00 Sizes 34 to 44

Materials: Serges, tricotines, coverts, velours, gabardines, English tweeds, offering an ample choice.

Models: For fashionable street wear, including plain tailored, fancy Eton and Pony effects; also medium length styles.

Colors: Navy, tan, rookie, black.

Linings: Plain and fancy silks.

Quantity: About 275 street suits are included.

Third Floor

The Annual Spring Sale of Children's and Women's Hosiery at Very Advantageous Prices Now in Progress.

WALL STREET GOSSIP

Hood Rubber Co.—Regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on preferred stock payable May 1 to stock of record April 20.

U. S. Rubber Company sales in first quarter of current year gained about 40 per cent. over business in same three months of 1917.

Willis-Overland Company during last month shipped 2,938 cars from the Toledo plant. This compares with about 1,000 cars driven away during same month of 1917.

Chile Copper Co. produced 10,192,000 pounds of copper in March, compared with 6,262,512 pounds in February. Shortage of fuel oil caused low production in February. At annual meeting it was stated that production will run between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 pounds monthly. Question of dividend possibilities will not come up until annual report is in. This should be published some time in May when a good idea of company's financial position will be obtained.

National Carbon Company, regular quarterly dividends of 2 per cent. on preferred stock and 1 1/2 on common, both payable May 1 to stock of record April 20.

Kellogg Switchboard Company, regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. payable April 20 to stock of record April 25.

Kelsey Wheel Company—Regular quarterly dividend of \$1.25 a share and in cash \$2 payable May 15 to stock of record April 20.

Vacuum Oil Company—Regular semi-annual dividend of \$1 a share and in cash \$2 payable May 15 to stock of record May 1.

Canada Foundries and Forgings Company—Regular quarterly dividends of 3 per cent. on common and 1 1/2 on preferred stock, payable May 15 to stock of record April 20.

Pacific Mail Steamship Company—Regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on preferred stock, payable June 1 to stock of record May 17.

United States Steel Corporation common stock is now more widely distributed than at any previous time. At the closing of the books in March there were 61,044 holders of the stock, compared with 51,639 in December and 56,325 in March, 1915, the previous record. Holders of the preferred stock in February numbered 50,763, against 78,521 in November and 55,913 in February, 1915, the record.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

With net change from previous close.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net
Am. Can. Co.	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Ice Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Lumber Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Oil Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Paper Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Rubber Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Steel & Iron	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. T. & T. Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Woolen Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Zinc Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Coal Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Glass Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Cement Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
Am. Brick Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4
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Am. Brick Co.	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2	+ 1/4

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EVERYTHING chauffeurs wear, from caps to puttees—generous variety—sane prices. Lightweight outfits, Whipcord, Barthea and Serge—sires for the short, the tall, the lean, the plump and those of average build. Gloves, stocks, goggles, puttees, caps, raincoats, dusters, robes and other essential accessories.

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Lower Store means Lower Rent therefore Low Prices. Lane Bryant Lower Store A BARGAIN BASEMENT Where Fashion, Quality & Economy Reign.

Sizes 36 to 56 Bust—Slender or Stout
The only reduction you will find here at any time is in the price. The reductions this time are unusually large.

SUITS—Embodying all the superior qualities of design and workmanship that have made the name of Lane Bryant nationally famous. Unusual values in Eponge, Serge, \$9.85 to \$49.75 Poirer Twill and Silk Mohair.

Coats—Palm Beach, Poirer Serge, Velour, \$6.95 to \$34.95

Dresses—Kirtles, Tulle, Gingham, \$5.50 to \$34.75

Skirts—Odds and ends of materials, \$1.25 to \$5.50

House Dresses—Gingham, \$1.25 to \$5.50

MATERNITY—Dresses, \$1.25 to \$5.50

WAIST BARGAINS—For STOUT and SLENDER Women, \$1.25 to \$5.50

Handsome Silk Waist—\$1.25 and \$1.95

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RAIL WAGE REPORT READY.

Sliding Scale for Union and Non-Union Men Alike.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Railroad Wage Commission has completed its recommendations for wage increases for railroad employees and a report will be submitted to Director General McAdoo upon his return from a liberty loan speaking tour in the West.

It is understood the recommendations call for a sliding scale of increases and that all employees, regardless of union or non-union affiliation, have been treated alike. The revision will affect approximately 2,000,000 persons.

BOYLE ON MUNICIPAL BENCH

Magistrate Will Fill Vacancy Caused by Justice Kirk's Death.

Edward F. Boyle, former President of the Board of Elections, who was appointed a City Magistrate by Mayor Mitchell, today resigned to accept an appointment as Justice of the Municipal Court. He will fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Hiram M. Kirk, whose term expires at the end of this year. Justice Boyle will likely be a candidate for the full term at the next election.

NEW GUARD BILL SIGNED

Measure Means Retirement of Old Militiamen After War.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—The Stivers bill perfecting the organization of the New York Guard as a successor to the State National Guard, now in Federal service, was signed by Gov. Whitman today. Its enactment really means the retirement of the National Guardsmen at the expiration of the war as when the old Guardsmen return they will be mustered out into civilian life.

NEW HAVEN DEBENTURES.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 17.—There was a new angle of interest for stockholders of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, who met here in annual session today.

The meeting had before it proposals to issue \$18,750,000 in debentures to refund or repay certain indebtedness; to authorize the raising of funds for extensions, betterments and equipment; and to ratify an agreement with the United States Government regarding compensation for use and operation of the company's property. Eli Whitney of New Haven retired from the directors.

How This Fine Family of Seven Children Keeps Healthy



Mother Depends on Father John's Medicine—For Colds, Coughs and Body Building
No Alcohol or Dangerous Drugs

"For the last four years whenever any of our seven children have had colds, we gave them Father John's Medicine," writes Klaus Zandstra of Whitinsville, Mass. "We have used it for all of the children and they have been greatly benefited by taking Father John's Medicine for colds and body-building." Crowded with nourishment and warmth-giving, strength-building elements, Father John's Medicine is also guaranteed free from alcohol or dangerous drugs, and is, therefore, a safe reliable family medicine.—Advt.

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Frocks in New Designs

DAINTY FROCKS of Crepe de Chine, in which prettily beaded coat effects in colors, are cleverly combined and contrasted with pleated skirts in white; smart sport frocks of Wool Jersey and softly draped models in Silk Gingham in the new silhouettes.

Specially Priced at

18.50

BEAD ACCENTUATED FROCKS of Georgetown Crepe; jaunty sport frocks of Khaki Kool, silk Amazon Crepes, and of Pongee outline with long silk fringe; the more recent models also include Wool Jersey Frocks elaborately ornamented with soutache and silk embroidery in self colors; an effective frock in the new draped silhouette is fashioned of Rumchunda Foulard in a pleasing design.

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23.50

ELABORATELY BEADED AFTERNOON AND DINNER GOWNS of Georgetown Crepe; smart coat dresses of self figured Khaki Kool and Evening Gowns of Net draped over Silvercloth and with iridescent bodices.

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DINNER GOWNS of Georgetown Crepe in delicate pastel shades. Richly ornamented with pearl and cut beads, black lace gowns for formal or semi formal wear and afternoon dresses of Beaded Georgetown Crepe.

Prices Range from

35.00 to 95.00

Suits in New Designs

TAILORED SUITS featuring belted effects with multiple pockets, fashioned of Wool Jersey and Tweeds; smartly simple designs developed in fine Serge or Taffeta Silk; sport suits of Wool Jersey in Silverstone Effects.

Specially Priced at

25.00

SPORT SUITS of Pongee silk revealing the jaunty lines of the new silhouettes for summer, smart models of Taffeta Silk, featuring vestees in fancy materials, newer tailor modes of Tricotine and Serge outlined by ornate trimming of Braid or Silk embroidery.

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35.00

Later Fashions in Coats and Capes

Gracefully draped capes richly lined in contrasting silks; coats in the newer silk or wool materials with novel collar and belt effects.

20.00 25.00 50.00